

Appl. No. 10/795,825
Amdt. dated Oct. 11, 2004
Reply to Office action of July 13, 2004

REMARKS

In the Office Action of July 13, 2004, claims 1 and 5-8 were rejected under the doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting over claims 1-8 of U.S. Patent No. 6,710,628, and also U.S. Patent No. 6,492,844. Although Applicants do not necessarily agree that the instant claims are obvious in view of the 6,710,628 and 6,492,844 claims, two terminal disclaimers are submitted herewith to overcome the double patenting rejections.

The Examiner also objected to claim 1 because a period was needed at the end of the claim. Said period is added with this Amendment.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants request allowance of claims 1 and 5-8.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to the deposit account of McAndrews, Held & Malloy, Account No. 13-0017.

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